Making KIDS COUNT in the 2019 Legislative Session

Senate District 2   Sen. Dee L. Brown

POPULATION	District	State
Total population	19,916	1,029,862
Children ages 0-4	988	61,218
Children ages 5-17	3,091	164,940
Median age	46	40

ECONOMIC WELL-BEING	District	State
Median household income (2017$)	$48,691	$50,801
Children in poverty (<100% FPL)[§]	20%	18%
Children ages 0-18 who have public health insurance	36%	38%
Tax return filers who would qualify for a state EITC[1][§§]	1,767	76,267

SCHOOLS AND EDUCATION	District	State
Preschool-aged children NOT enrolled in school	79%	60%
Children enrolled in grades K-12	3,197	162,262
Graduation rate, all students[2]	N/A	86%
Graduation rate, disabled students[2]	N/A	77%

SAFETY	State
High school students texting/emailing while driving[3]	54%
High school students talking on a cell phone while driving[3]	57%
High school students driving after drinking alcohol[3]	8%
Traffic crash fatalities and incapacitating injuries[4]	917

The best way to ensure that children get ahead is to make sure that they never fall behind.

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